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NEW YORK.—J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 22d Street.

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Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$10,000,000.
RESERVE FUND.....\$5,000,000.
RESERVE LIABILITY OF.....\$10,000,000.
PROPRIETORS.....\$10,000,000.

COUNT OF DIRECTORS:—

J. S. MOSA, Esq.—Chairman.

J. KRAMER, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.

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Hon. A. McConachie.

CHIEF MANAGER:—Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER:—Shanghai—H. M. BEVAN, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LTD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent.

For 12 months 5 per cent.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 16, 1895. 343

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 per cent. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 per cent. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 15, 1893. 1515

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000.

SUBSCRIBED.....£1,25,000.

PAID-UP.....£562,500.

Bankers.

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the Rate of 2 per cent. on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 Months.....5 %

For 6 Months.....4 %

For 3 Months.....3 %

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 18, 1893. 228

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£3,000,000.

CAPITAL CALLED UP.....£261,093.15.0.

Bankers:

CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED.

Head Office:—8, PRINCES STREET, LONDON.

Branches:—BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

Agencies:—PEKING, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager.

Hongkong, November 6, 1893. 247

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP.....£800,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARES.....£800,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£276,000.

INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 5 %

For 6 months 4 %

For 3 months 3 %

A. MARSHALL, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 248

Intimations.



QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

TERM BEGINS ON MONDAY, THE 18TH INSTANT, AT 9 A.M.

ALL BOYS seeking ADMISSION or RE-ADMISSION should present themselves, accompanied by PARENTS or GUARDIANS, in the College Hall, on SATURDAY, the 16th instant, at 8.30 a.m.

GEO. H. BATESON WRIGHT, D.D., Head Master.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE, 14th February, 1895. 322

DIOCESAN SCHOOL & ORPHANAGE.

SCHOOL DUTIES will be RESUMED on MONDAY, 18th February.

For Terms, for Boarders or Day Scholars, apply to

THE HEADMASTER.

Hongkong, February 15, 1895. 331

HONGKONG AND WHAMPoa DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 18th February, 1895, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and the Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1894.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 18th February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 25, 1895. 191

BANK HOLIDAYS.

THE Undeclared BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 20th, 21st and 22nd instant respectively.

For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

A. C. MARSHALL,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

For the National Bank of China, Limited.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,
Chief Manager.

For the Mercantile Bank of India, Limited.

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the Banque de l'Indo-Chine, Hongkong Agency.

E. MAYER,
Manager.

For the Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits, Ltd., Hongkong.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.

Hongkong, February 15, 1895. 337

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 2nd March, 1895, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the 31st October, 1894.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th instant to the 2nd proximo (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. A. DUFF,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 15, 1895. 333

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 28th day of February, 1895, at the Company's OFFICES, No. 5, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Annual Statement of Account, Balance Sheet, and the Report of the General Managers.

Notice is further given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the above Company will be held on the said 23rd February, 1895, at the Company's OFFICES aforesaid, at 12.15 p.m., when the Subjoined Resolutions, which were passed at the Extra-ordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 8th day of February, 1895, will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions, viz.—

"That the Special Resolutions of this Company, Passed and Confirmed at Extra-ordinary General Meetings of this Company held respectively on the 12th day of April, 1892, and the 6th day of May, 1892, and the same are hereby annulled."

"That Messrs. SHEWAN & CO. be appointed General Managers of the Company, such Appointment to date from the 28th February 1895."

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from date to the 28th instant.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1895.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., General Managers.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,000,000.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors.

H. SNODGRASS, Esq.

CHAN KEE, SHAN, CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq.

KWAN HOI CHUN, Esq.

Chief Manager.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

Manager of the 12 month's Fixed 5 %.

Hongkong, October 23, 1894. 1711

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED,

28, Queen's Road Central.

ASBESTOS PACKINGS of every description.

ASBESTOS SHEETINGS, MILLBOARDS, &c.

ASBESTOS NON-CONDUCTING COMPOSITION for COVERING BOILERS and STEAM PIPES.

CANVAS CORE PACKING (Tuck Form).

SPECIAL ENGINE and CYLINDER OILS.

ASBESTOLINE, the Most Economical Lubricant, one pound equal to 5 gallons of Oil.

Messrs. BELL'S ASBESTOS Co. received the only Gold Medal awarded to the trade, International Inventions Exhibition, 1894.

Entertainments.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.
THERE will be positively ONLY 4 MORE PERFORMANCES of 'ROBINSON CRUSOE,'
T O - N I G H T ,
(SATURDAY, 16th February, at 9 p.m.)
MONDAY, 18th do. do.
SATURDAY, 23rd do. do.
And
AN AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE,
ON
MONDAY, 25th February, at 4 p.m.

TICKETS and BOOKS of the WORDS of the SONGS can be obtained at MESSRS LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, February 16, 1895. 320

To-day's Advertisements.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.
No. 59.

A N EXAMINATION will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER to Select TWO CLERKS for Services in the GENERAL POST OFFICE on a day to be fixed by the Board of Examiners.

The salary will be \$20 a month, rising to \$30 after January 1st, 1896, and to \$40 after January 1st, 1897.

No Candidate need apply who does not write a good hand.

The Subject of Examination will be as follows:—

Handwriting, 600 marks.
Dictation and Copying, 200.
Composition, 200.
Arithmetic, 200.

An EXAMINATION will be held at the same time for the Post of INTERPRETER in the Service of the STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. The salary will be \$100 per month, and the requisite qualifications are:—

(a) The Interpreter to be a Cantonese.
(b) Ability to speak Hakka well.
(c) Thorough knowledge of Chinese writing.

(d) Ability to speak and write English fairly.

Applications, with Copies of Testimonials, and Certificates as to age and health should be sent to the HONORARY SECRETARY, Board of Examiners, not later than the 25th instant, at Noon.

By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOOKHART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Hongkong, 11th February, 1895. 347

RACE COURSE.

HONGKONG HOTEL TENT.
WEDNESDAY, 20th FEBRUARY.

TIFFIN.

ONE DOLLAR.

1. Green Turtle Soup.
2. Mulligatawny Soup.
3. Sardines. 4. Prawns. 5. Lobster.
6. Buffalo Tongue. 7. Pressed Beef.
8. Oxtail Jell. 10. Game Pie.
9. Ham and Chicken. 10. Game Pie.
11. Boned Capon.

12. Pigeon Pie. 13. Beefsteak Pie.
14. Roast Kobe Beef.

15. Roast Saddle of Mutton.

16. Roast Turkey. 17. Roast Capon.

18. Boiled Corned Beef and Carrots.

19. Chicken Salad.

22. Roast Pheasant.

23. Roast Wild Duck. 24. Roast Quail.

25. Sponge Cake.

26. Almond Basket. 27. Sand Cake.

28. Plum Cake. 29. Peach Meringues.

30. Champagne Jelly.

31. Charlotte Russe. 32. Orange Jelly.

33. Mince Pies. 34. Peas & Rice.

35. Bon Bons. 36. Dried Lichens.

37. Cheese. 38. Colary.

39. Radishes. 40. Watercresses.

41. Tea. 42. Coffee. 43. Chocolate.

SANDWICHES.

Caviar Sandwiches.

Ham do.

Beef do.

Egg do.

Sardine do.

30 CENTS per Plate.

Hongkong, February 16, 1895. 337

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS, will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Company, Finlayson Green, SINGAPORE, on THURSDAY, 21st March, 1895, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and the Statement of Accounts, to the 31st December, 1894.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. MACBEAN,
Agent,
HONGKONG BRANCH.

Hongkong, February 16, 1895. 342

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship

Names,

Captain Hanks, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 19th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAFRAZ & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, February 16, 1895. 339

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship

Names,

Captain Hanks, will be

despatched for the above

Port on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & CO.,

Agents.

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FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT).

The German Steamer

Names,

Captain Hanks, will be

despatched for the above

Port on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & CO.,

Agents.

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination	Vessels	Arrds.	Date of Leaving.
Amsterdam, &c.	Oceanus (s).	Butterfield & Swire	About March 16.
Bremen & Ports of Call	Prinz Heinrich (s).	Norddeutscher Lloyd	March 4, at 8 p.m.
Japan	Verona (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 1, at noon.
Boko and Yokohama	Strathcarron (s).	Dowdell, Garill & Co.	Feb. 22, at noon.
London, &c.	Teaser (s).	Butterfield & Swire	February 19.
London, &c.	Glenalmond (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	About Feb. 25.
London, &c.	Port of Call	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About March 5.
London	Caesar (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About March 20.
London	Malone (s).	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 20, at 2 p.m.
Manila	Sungkang (s).	Messengers Maritime	Feb. 20, at noon.
Marseilles, &c.	Melbourne (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Feb. 20, at 2 p.m.
New York, &c.	St. Lucia (s).	Garlowitz & Co.	Feb. 20, at 5 p.m.
New York	Lucy A. Nickels.	Garlowitz & Co.	Feb. 20, at 8 p.m.
S. Francisco	Japan (s).	Pacific Mail S. Co.	Feb. 20, at 9 p.m.
S. Francisco	China (s).	O. & G. S. Co.	Feb. 20, at 10 p.m.
S. Francisco	Belgic (s).	Shaw & Co.	Feb. 20, at 11 p.m.
S. Francisco	Tillie E. Starbuck	Stemmer & Co.	Feb. 20, at 12 p.m.
Shanghai	Lycomen (s).	Carlson & Co.	Feb. 20, at 5 p.m.
Shanghai	Felt (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Feb. 20, at 6 p.m.
Shanghai	Ravena (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Feb. 20, at 7 p.m.
Shanghai	Melacca (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Feb. 20, at 8 p.m.
Shanghai and Koko	Adeo (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Feb. 19, at noon.
Shanghai	Amoy & Fuchow (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 1 p.m.
Shanghai	Amoy & Fuchow (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 2 p.m.
Shanghai	Thales (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 3 p.m.
Tientsin	Nanchang (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 4 p.m.
Vancouver (B.C.)	Empress of India (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 5 p.m.
Victoria (B.C.)	Tacoma (s).	Douglas & Co.	Feb. 19, at 6 p.m.

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW, Shipping.

Daylight.—Ships leaves for Swatow, &c.
Miscellaneous.

Goods per Maria Valeria undelivered after this date subject to rent.

MEMOS FOR MONDAY.

Meeting.

3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., at the Company's Offices.

AUCTIONS.

3 p.m.—Auction of Leasold Property, at Mr J. M. Armstrong.

4.10 p.m.—Auction of Racing Ponies, &c., in Front of the City Hall.

AMUSEMENTS.

9 p.m.—A. D. C. Performance at City Hall.

MISCELLANEOUS.

9 a.m.—Re-opening of Queen's College.

Resuming of Diocesan School and Orphanage.

Dividend of £1.50 on Shares of the H.K. & Shai Banking Corp., payable.

Goods per Carmarthenshire undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Goods per Vindolana undelivered after this date subject to rent.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

St. John's CATHEDRAL.—Parade Service at 8.30 a.m. (Holy Communion 2nd and 4th Sundays).

The O. & O. a. a. Belgic left San Francisco on Jan. 24 for this port, via Yokohama and Nagasaki, on Feb. 6.

UNION CHURCH, Kennedy Road.—Minister, Rev. G. J. Williams.—Services at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL.—Sundays and Festivals of Obligation.—Mass, 6 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. Week Days—Mass, 6 a.m. and 7.30 a.m. Benediction on Jan. Feb. Nov. Dec., 5 p.m.; March, April, Sept. Oct., 5.30 p.m.; June, July, Aug., 6 p.m.

St. STEPHEN'S CHURCH (Garden Road).—Mass, with Sermon in English, at 9 a.m. on Sundays and Festival Days of Obligation.

St. FRANCIS CHURCH (Wanchai).—Mass, with Sermon in Chinese, 7.30 a.m. and 8 a.m., with Sermon in Portuguese, Benediction, 5 p.m.

St. ANTHONY CHAPEL (West Point).—Sunday, Mass and Benediction at 8 a.m. Feast of Obligation, 7.30 a.m.

St. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH, Sailors' Home.—Service on Sunday, at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 11 a.m.; on the 2nd and 5th at 7.30 a.m.; and on the 4th, at the Evening Service.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, Chapel, Rev. Wm. Munson.—Divine Service at 10.30 a.m. and 6 p.m. in the Wesleyan Church, Wan-chai.

GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL.—Services in the German language by Pastor R. F. Gottschalk every Sunday, at 11 a.m. in the Chapel of the Berlin Founding House, West Point.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

FROM the 1st January, 1895, the Subscription to the CHINA MAIL will be as follows:—

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" Month.....2.50

Copies of the 'CHINA MAIL' may be obtained at the Hongkong Hotel.

